

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	CASE NO. CR24-5137 BHS
Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	
)	DETENTION ORDER
KEVIN B. THISSEL, JR.,)	
)	
Defendant.)	
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Offense charged: Unlawful Possession of a Firearm

Date of Detention Hearing: October 15, 2024.

The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds that no condition or combination of conditions which defendant can meet will reasonably assure the appearance of defendant as required and the safety of other persons and the community.

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

1. Defendant is charged by Indictment with one Count of Unlawful Possession of

01 a Firearm. He has also been Indicted in this Court in Case No. CR24-138 RSM with
02 Racketeering and Conspiracy to Commit Rico. Defendant appears pursuant to a Writ of
03 Habeas Corpus ad Prosequendum from the custody of Pierce County, WA. The question of
04 detention is essentially moot, since defendant would be returned to state custody if released by
05 this Court. Indeed, defendant will remain in custody at the Pierce County jail while these
06 charges are pending. Defendant does not contest entry of an order of detention. He has a
07 lengthy criminal record, including multiple burglary, assault, and weapons charges, with
08 warrant activity.

09 2. Defendant poses a risk of nonappearance based on failures to appear for hearing
10 with warrant activity, lack of verified background information, and pending state charges.
11 Defendant poses a risk of danger based on the nature of the instant offense and criminal history.

12 3. There does not appear to be any condition or combination of conditions that will
13 reasonably assure the defendant's appearance at future Court hearings while addressing the
14 danger to other persons or the community.

15 It is therefore ORDERED:

- 16 1. Defendant shall be detained pending trial, and committed to the custody of the Attorney
17 General for confinement in a correction facility;
- 18 2. Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with counsel;
- 19 3. On order of the United States or on request of an attorney for the Government, the person
20 in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is confined shall deliver the
21 defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection with a
22 court proceeding; and

01 4. The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to counsel for
02 the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United State Probation Services
03 Officer.

04 DATED this 15th day of October, 2024.

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07 United States Magistrate Judge
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